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THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY MARCH 26.

The Cook county boodlers are being bagged. That is all right as far as it goes. But after being bagged they should be put to contract labor at Joliet.

The Dr. Progresso Italo Americano gives the following opinion of things American:

Impress gigantesco e audacie americano, che fanno spalancare gli occhi ai nostri colleghi d'Italia ma che -valigia- costano infuso, niente affatto le tente.

That seems a fair statement of the case. In fact, the more we read it, the more heartily we endorse it.

Carter Harrison has at last declined to run for mayor. He is wise. He couldn't be elected anyway. He is a political bummer, and his official life in Chicago has been a disgrace to the city. He is a man of energy and ability, but when he stooped so low that such papers as the Times and the Herald would not support him, he was pretty well down.

Mr. M. M. Bam, member of the democratic national committee from Iowa, postmaster at Dubuque, and editor of an administration organ, publishes an interview in which he thinks Blaine will not run well next year. In fact, he is so much against Mr. Blaine that, in his opinion, if his distinguished townsmen Mr. Allison, should receive the republican nomination, the well-known personal friendship of Mr. Blaine for the lone senator would defeat him. All democratic organs talk like Mr. Bam's party organ. They don't want him to run again. They say it will be too bad to nominate him again when defeat is certain. It is singular how solicitous these democrats are about Blaine's political welfare, and yet how they oppose him! Blaine is as a thorn in the flesh to the democracy. By unanimous consent they don't like him and yet how tender they are in suggesting that he ought not to run for the presidency next year!

The "New South" should charge its spirit or the northern people will begin to believe that all the talk about fraternal affection down there will be taken as "gush inspired by campaign." Senator John Sherman went south to talk to the people on public questions of importance. In some places he was very warmly received. But Birmingham, Alabama, his treatment was not so praiseworthy. At the hotel, the proprietor refused to allow a delegation of prominent colored men to call on him. He said if such people were to see Sherman, he must go somewhere else, and John Sherman was forced to take quarters at another hotel. This insult to a United States senator, specially to one of the fame and ability of John Sherman, is a significant comment upon the alleged hospitality of the people of that portion of the south. The Gazette notices with some degree of satisfaction that a few southern papers condemn the conduct of the Birmingham hotel proprietor. But the northern democratic papers have neither the courage nor the fairness to condemn the outrage.

MUNICIPAL JUDGESHIP.

The convention which met on Friday to nominate a candidate for municipal judge, nominated H. A. Patterson, Esq. This was done by acclamation, after an informal ballot had been taken, which serves as a handsome compliment to that gentleman. Mr. Patterson is a good lawyer, and has been in the practice in Janesville over thirty years. He is well known throughout the county, and the faith of the people in his ability to fill the office of municipal judge, is illustrated by the manner of his nomination. He will fill the office well. There is no doubt about that. He has the ability, and we believe he has the courage to administer justice in that court. The selection is certainly a good one, and his election, of course, is beyond all doubt.

A WARNING TO CLEVELAND. The old moss-back democratic papers take great delight in prognosticating that some evil will over-take President Cleveland. They don't see how he can be renominated, or if renominated they can't divide the cause that will insure his election. The Cincinnati Enquirer the old reliable democratic paper of the city of riots, floods and saloons, prints the following under display headlines:

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It is not likely this attempt to forecast the events of '88 will cause much unrest to the president. All the curiosities imaginable in names and initial letters were brought out to illustrate the "fact" that Cleveland could not be defeated and that Cleveland could not under any possible circumstance be elected. Yet Mr. Blaine is quietly living at Augusta, and Mr. Cleveland is keeping house under the roof of the executive mansion at Washington. It is, true, as many democrats try to make us believe, that the president should not be re-elected. He is a humbug as reformer and has done nothing to entitle him to the confidence of the country. He has

been issued by the Hoffman & Billing's manufacturing company of Milwaukee. There is a spirit of fairness about it that will command the respect of the public. It is brief, simple, straightforward and to the point:

"The profits of last year's business would, after paying 7 per cent to the capital invested, entitle each of you to 1/2 per cent on amount of wages paid. But as this is our first year in profit sharing, the company has decided to give you a dividend of 1 per cent at the expense of capital. This is equivalent to making you a present of \$500 over and above the sum that you are entitled to according to profit-sharing plan inaugurated Jan 1, 1886. We trust everyone in our employ will do his whole duty in 1887 and therefore enable the company to share a larger dividend at the expiration of the present year. In future, only those of our employees will be entitled to a share of the profits, who are still in the company's employ on the last day of each year."

It all manufacturers and workingmen could harmonize their interests in this way there would be no strikers and no mutinies of discontent among employed. All employees are not as level-headed as those in the shops of Hoffman & Billings. Last year Mr. Aliis attempted to make a similar arrangement with his men, but the bosses who control the Rights of labor compelled the men to decline the offer.

There is a good deal of business sense as well as honesty of purpose and generosity of spirit in the method Hoffman & Billings have adopted. It should set other manufacturers to thinking.

A COMPLIMENT TO THE STATE.

That noted wing-wump paper, the New York Post, makes some favorable comments on the action of the Wisconsin legislature in refusing to abolish contract labor in the state prison. Here is a portion of the article:

The Wisconsin legislature is the first body of law-makers in recent years to resist the existing popular craze—or, more properly, the popular craze which is supposed by politicians to exist—against contracting for the labor of convicts. Both of the leading political parties, in the platforms which they adopted last fall, declared themselves opposed to the system of leasing convict labor which has prevailed in the state for a number of years. These declarations were adopted without any serious consideration and for the obvious purpose of constituting "the labor vote," and it was to be expected that the legislators would feel bound by them. But while it is carry out the party platform on this question was introduced, it was defeated by a heavy majority, both republicans and democrats contributing to the result. A commission is to visit other states and report upon the various systems of prison management employed, with a view to further enlighten public opinion, so that if the contract system is to be abolished at some time in the future it shall not be done until something has been found to take its place. The course of the Wisconsin lawmakers upon this matter is the more noteworthy from the facts that the outcry against convict labor comes everywhere, chiefly from the foreign element, and that Wisconsin has a larger proportion of foreign born voters than any state in the Union.

The bill creating the commission to investigate the question of convict labor, and to continue the contract system for the present, very happily was not controlled by politics. Sixty-one voted for the bill and eighteen against it and several prominent democrats who could not be influenced by the clamor of the labor vote, voted to pass the bill. There is another point well worth taking into consideration. Several members of foreign birth—men of considerable business ability, voted for the passage of the bill. They could see that the prison was well managed, that the products of the manufacturing departments did not compete with free labor, and that the prisoners were doing much better now than they could possibly do under any other system. The Wisconsin legislature was wise in considering these things.

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SOME COMMENT ON SUBJECTS RELATED TO COMMERCE.

A SITUATION FAVORABLE FOR A CORNER IN CALIFORNIA—Effect of National Railway Regulation—A Period of "Absorption" Imminent According to Flink and Adams—Low Prices Ahead.

NEW YORK, March 25.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: April is close at hand and some anxiety as to the money market is usual at this season. The banks have been sending large amounts to the interior through deposits at the treasury and issues of silver certificates elsewhere, and there has also been a heavy demand for Philadelphia exchange, so that a further decline in reserves is expected. The western and central railroads have been heavily intimated by debts to ship products before the inter-state commerce and the change of rates go into effect. Though the demand at Chicago is reported diminishing, rates are 6 to 8 per cent. All the circumstances make it comparatively easy for an operator to produce tight money if he pleases.

The treasury has taken in \$1,700,000 more gold than it has paid out during the past week, but has added \$8,000,000 to the outstanding silver certificates and put out some long-term bonds. The reduction of rates by the bank of England has been continued, of money that was formerly contained in this market, as does the later foreign trade exports from New York for three weeks being 18 per cent. larger than last year, with imports 7% per cent. larger. The February official report shows an increase of \$2,500,000 in exports over last year, the amounts being the largest since 1883, but imports were the largest on record for many years in February, and the excess of imports was \$2,214,357, gold exports for the month exceeding imports by \$1,363,756. Another bond reflected the reduced 3 per cent. and there is no question of the necessity of purchasing bonds again.

JOHN E. VAN PELT OF SMALL IMPORTANCE.

PENNSYLVANIA, W. Va., March 24.—Frank Grayman, a young man of Lawrence county, Ohio, was visiting at Covington, Fayette County, W. Va., Thursday, in company with John Scalers, a friend, and Mrs. Scalers, went out for a walk. Over some trivial matter a dispute arose in which Mrs. Scalers sided with Grayman against her husband. The latter grew very angry and declared his wife preferred Grayman to him, drew a revolver and fired at Grayman. The first shot entered the left breast, causing instant death. The wife was severely wounded over the affair that struck terror of lynching was indulged in, and it was only by means of a strong guard that the authorities were able to put Scalers in jail. Mrs. Scalers exonerates Grayman, and says that he was perfectly innocent of anything that would justify the act of her husband.

MUST HAVE THESE PASSES.

MADISON, Wis., March 25.—In the assembly Friday morning a lively discussion took place on a bill requiring railway companies to furnish annual passes, good in Wisconsin, to all members of the legislature, executive, to state officers and members of the courts of record. It was immediately amended prohibiting railway companies from granting passes on the request of the members of the legislature to the friends of the latter, and then, after a sharp debate, the bill was passed by a vote of 49 to 32. The senate city election laws was concurred in. It applies to cities of 50,000 population or more. Bills were introduced prohibiting the employment of children under fourteen years of age in factories, stores, workshops and elsewhere; to prevent the hiring of armed men for police duty by persons or corporations within the state; exempting the property of religious, scientific, literary, or benevolent associations from taxation.

TOOK FIFTEEN YEARS TO HANG HIM.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., March 25.—Jackson Marion was hanged here at 11:50 o'clock Friday morning for the murder of John Cameron nearly fifteen years ago. He had thrice been sentenced to death. He made no confession or statement of any kind regarding the crime of which he was convicted. In April, 1871, Marion and Cameron left Grass Valley, Calif., with a team of horses and wagon to work on the St. Joe & Denver railroad grade. A month later Marion arrived alone at Brattleboro with the team and wagon, and a year later Cameron and his team were found on the banks of the Blue river near the town of Blue Springs. Marion was almost immediately suspected of the crime, but it was not until the later part of 1882 that he was identified in a Kansas jail, where he was confined on the charge of grand larceny.

RAILROAD business has been large, Pennsylvania and Erie reports for February and most reports for part of March being very favorable. West-bound shipments from chief eastern cities were 144,100 tons in February, against 124,960 last year, but east-bound tonnage was 74,250 tons, against 80,294 tons last year. The temporary activity of March does not indicate larger business than the change of rates, however; nor is the building of 60 miles of road, against 200 to date last year, a safe indication as to the future.

Reports regarding the iron business are not favorable, imports evidently having a depressing effect. British shipments of iron and steel to this country were 117,473 tons in February, and 19,151 tons in January. Prices of kinds largely imported show weakness, and the Philadelphia market is rendered more feverish by the countermanding of some orders in consequence of a strike in the Pewabic works which would not be strange if the strike should soon begin. The rise which began in 1871, lasted sixteen months, and the rise which began in 1882 has now lasted about eighteen months.

THE DECOUIN LIGNE CASE.

DES MOINES, Iowa, March 26.—Friday morning United States Marshal Etheridge arrived with a writ of replevin issued by the clerk of the United States circuit court, accused Frank Pierce in the court house and demanded possession of the liquors constable Pierce lately seized from Hubert, Ross & Co. Pierce consulted with his attorney and advised him to refuse to surrender personally, as he was a deputy marshal and what went to the constable Pierce the liquors were stored and demanded of Mr. West, who was in charge of the liquors, that he deliver possession. This the constable refused to do after being so directed by County Attorney Phillips. The writ was issued upon suit brought by firms claiming to own the liquors.

ANOTHER AMERICAN PROTEST.

BOSTON, Mass., March 26.—On Monday evening April 4 a meeting will be held in Faneuil Hall, for the purpose of protesting against the carrying out of the proposed coercion act, brought forward by the Tories in the British house of commons. Governor Ames, who will be accompanied by his staff and by President Boardman, of the senate, and Speaker Noyes, of the house, will be present. He will be introduced by Mayor O'Brien. Senator Hearl has been invited to speak, and says he will certainly be present. Hon. C. C. Davies, Congressman Morse and Collins, Hon. Harry B. Levering, Henry Cabot Lodge, and others, have been asked to speak, and many of these gentlemen have accepted the invitation.

THE NEW YORK TIMES.

NEW YORK, March 25.—President Green, of the New York Press club, addressed a note to Ira Shaffer on the 23d inst., inviting him to apologize to the reporters of New York for insulting them during his defense of Cox-Alderman Clancy. Mr. Shaffer in reply says that his remarks referred to the reporters engaged in making the mis-leading report of the trial. One reporter, who made a correct report, was selected and spoken of at the time of the remarks. Mr. Shaffer adds that he has not criticized the other reporters of New York, and therefore has no cause to apologize to them.

SHAFER INVITED TO APOLOGIZE.

RICHMOND, Va., March 26.—The Democratic caucus Friday afternoon adopted resolutions providing for the appointment of a joint committee of senators and delegates to ascertain the amount of bonds of Virginia owned or controlled by foreign bankers; to demonstrate to the bondholders the inability of the people of the state to bear a greater burden of taxation, and also to show what are the revenues and the necessary expenditures of the government and available resources for the payment of interest, and to point out to them that which address itself to their interest as well as the interest of all the state. The senate at Friday night's session ratified these resolutions to the finance committee, while the house, after a brief discussion, adopted them by a vote of 56 to 5.

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Children's corduroy suits \$3 75.	Men's wool hats, 25c, 50c, and \$1 00.
Children's all wool suits 3 50 to \$4 75.	Men's fur hats \$1 00 to \$1 50.
Men's suits—a bargain—\$8 50.	No specifications were furnished, and the company gave no guarantee of what the prices would stand.
Men's all wool suits 6 00, 7 00 \$9 00.	Professor Wiley reported that they worked beautifully, with the exception that the plates were too light and that the sugar cane was too coarse. The Pussey & Jones company did not furnish a suitable room for crystallization, the temperature was too low. In the experiments 2,322 tons of sliced sorghum cane were used, and about twenty-five tons of sugar were made. The sugar was of fair quality and suitable; the molasses was dark and poor. The results did not satisfy Professor Wiley, and he attributes them to several things.

One little obstacle was that the sugar had to get out of the cane when it was cut. He says: "The sorghum cane entering the battery at Fort Scott were totally unfit for sugar-making. The heat processes save an acetone solution, which may be easily effected out of such material." Farther on, he remarks that after three years of effort to devise processes, that "he chafed them to be accomplished is the production of a sorghum plant containing a reasonably constant percentage of crystallizable sugar." But the machinery is still not invented that would get sugar out of sorghum if the sugar were there.

No cutting machine that answers the purpose has yet been invented, and Professor Wiley says: "A proper mechanical method of distributing over the chips a substance to prevent inversion of the sugar had not been discovered." This is the reason the professor is moved to admit: "In a general way the work, the most important point suggested is the absolute failure of the experiments to demonstrate the commercial practicability of manufacturing sorghum sugar. Since the present appropriation was made for continuing and concluding these experiments, I consider that my connection with the development of the industry has ended. I leave the work with only one regret, and that is that the future of the sorghum sugar industry is still in doubt."

Last autumn the department of agriculture gave out the press statements that the experiments at Fort Scott had been eminently successful. Sorghum now goes out for a while.

Sparks Refuses to Issue Patents.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—Commissioner Sparks of the general land office has addressed a letter to the attorney of the Southern Pacific railway, in which he declines to issue patents to the Southern Pacific company for its selected an experiment by the secretary's letter of Sept. 30, 1888, that would not hold the patentee's letters-later, does not have the construction placed upon it by the attorney, and in view of the fact that a bill for the forfeiture of the lands was pending before the last congress, but was not acted upon, and will probably be by the Fifteenth congress, he declines to act in the case and thus defeat "the full and free exercise by the Fifteenth congress of its will on such measures as may come before it."

The Money for Experimental Stations.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—The last congress passed a law providing for the establishment of experimental agricultural stations in the several states and territories, but First Comptroller Durbin ruled that there was no money appropriation available for this purpose. Senator Pugh has appeared before him and made argument on the matter with a view to getting a reconsideration and reversal of his decision, and hopes at least to have the matter referred to Attorney General Garland. If he succeeds in this, he will be the technical object of the experiments.

A Bad Trio Arrested.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—The gravest detection arrested three Italians, named Merano, Polito and Comeco, in Philadelphia Thursday, who are supposed to be a gang of confidence men, that have done quite a thriving business here in swindling jewelry. Suspecting that they were watching here to Philadelphia some time ago and got ready for business there. The detectives followed and arrested them, and found in their possession \$1,000 worth of plunder, mostly articles of jewelry.

Applications for Passions Pending.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—A statement prepared at the passage of his bill for a bill of lading, that there are no public offices that offer drawing and writing services, 25 or 35 applications for passions. Claims are presented at the rate of about 6,000 a week, and an average of 2,500 a week are finally adjudicated.

Senator West Troubled with Weak Eyes.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—Senator West of Missouri, who has been in New York city for several weeks, has been very silent to the cause of his protracted sickness, but it is stated by Col. Bell, who is a personal friend of Senator West, that he has in his opinion trouble by consumption in that city. "He was troubled with weak eyes in his eyes during the entire term of the last session," said Col. Bell, "but I understand that he has been greatly benefited by the treatment he is receiving."

Recorder Trotter Has a Relapse.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—Recorder Trotter, who has been sick with pneumonia for some time, and who was reported to be recovering, suffered a relapse Thursday night, and was in such a bad condition Friday morning that Dr. Lincoln was consulted in his office. Dr. Reyburn for consultation, his physician late Friday night reported a slight improvement in Mr. Trotter's condition during the day and night, but still regard him as critically ill.

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A SACCHARINE FAILURE.

SAD NARRATIVE OF THE ADVENTURES OF A SCIENTIST

In an Attempt to Extract Sweetness from the Uncertain Sorghum-Machinery That Would Work, and Came That Needed an "Act of Creation" Disgusted a Departmental Experimentist.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—There is some interesting reading in the report of Professor Wiley on the attempts made last fall by the department of agriculture to make sorghum sugar by the diffusion process at the Parkinson sugar works, at Fort Scott. The experiment was a success, having \$9,000 in hand with which to make these experiments, entered into an agreement with the Parkinson sugar company whereby he was to set up his machinery in their establishment and they were to furnish room for it, but how much accommodation was not specified, and they were to furnish the necessary steam. Then he wrote to the Pussey & Jones company, asking them what they would charge to make a diffusion battery about so big. They replied with a with a general description of the apparatus they would make going so little into particulars that the description did not give any idea of price, and asked him to pay \$1,000. Mr. Colman, the manager, was the purchaser, and this is all the contract, specifications and guarantees that there was. The cutting-machine they were not to furnish, as the commissioners had one that was used the previous year at Ottawa.

The machine did not work, and he bought a second-hand one, and that did not work, and he had one or two machines altered into different kinds of machines, and they did not work. The chip elevators and the apparatus for carrying away the exhausted chips after diffusion were made by the Pussey & Jones company under the general order—it can not be called a contract—already referred to. Both were total failures, and no guarantees were furnished, and no guarantees obtained from them. They were simple, and it didn't, and the department of agriculture had nothing to do but to have a great deal of work done by hand at much expense which should have been done by machinery at very little expense. Mr. Colman also gave the Pussey & Jones company an order for a lot of filter presses. No specifications were furnished, and the company gave no guarantee of what the presses would stand.

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No cutting machine that answers the purpose has yet been invented, and Professor Wiley says: "A proper mechanical method of distributing over the chips a substance to prevent inversion of the sugar had not been discovered." This is the reason the professor is moved to admit: "In a general way the work, the most important point suggested is the absolute failure of the experiments to demonstrate the commercial practicability of manufacturing sorghum sugar. Since the present appropriation was made for continuing and concluding these experiments, I consider that my connection with the development of the industry has ended. I leave the work with only one regret, and that is that the future of the sorghum sugar industry is still in doubt."

Last autumn the department of agriculture gave out the press statements that the experiments at Fort Scott had been eminently successful. Sorghum now goes out for a while.

Sparks Refuses to Issue Patents.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—Commissioner Sparks of the general land office has addressed a letter to the attorney of the Southern Pacific railway, in which he declines to issue patents to the Southern Pacific company for its selected an experiment by the secretary's letter of Sept. 30, 1888, that would not hold the patentee's letters-later, does not have the construction placed upon it by the attorney, and in view of the fact that a bill for the forfeiture of the lands was pending before the last congress, but was not acted upon, and will probably be by the Fifteenth congress, he declines to act in the case and thus defeat "the full and free exercise by the Fifteenth congress of its will on such measures as may come before it."

The Money for Experimental Stations.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—The last congress passed a law providing for the establishment of experimental agricultural stations in the several states and territories, but First Comptroller Durbin ruled that there was no money appropriation available for this purpose. Senator Pugh has appeared before him and made argument on the matter with a view to getting a reconsideration and reversal of his decision, and hopes at least to have the matter referred to Attorney General Garland. If he succeeds in this, he will be the technical object of the experiments.

A Bad Trio Arrested.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—The gravest detection arrested three Italians, named Merano, Polito and Comeco, in Philadelphia Thursday, who are supposed to be a gang of confidence men, that have done quite a thriving business here in swindling jewelry. Suspecting that they were watching here to Philadelphia some time ago and got ready for business there. The detectives followed and arrested them, and found in their possession \$1,000 worth of plunder, mostly articles of jewelry.

Applications for Passions Pending.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—A statement prepared at the passage of his bill for a bill of lading, that there are no public offices that offer drawing and writing services, 25 or 35 applications for passions. Claims are presented at the rate of about 6,000 a week, and an average of 2,500 a week are finally adjudicated.

Recorder Trotter Has a Relapse.

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.—Recorder Trotter, who has been sick with pneumonia for some time, and who was reported to be recovering, suffered a relapse Thursday night, and was in such a bad condition Friday morning that Dr. Lincoln was consulted in his office. Dr. Reyburn for consultation, his physician late Friday night reported a slight improvement in Mr. Trotter's condition during the day and night, but still regard him as critically ill.

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CONDENSED NEWS.

Rev. Dr. McGlynn is about to lecture to New York on the struggle of labor against capital.

The court house at Yorkville, Ills., was sold Friday morning, but the records were saved.

A collision of Fort Wayne trains near Logansport, Ohio, caused the death of Engineer Bell. Eight other persons were injured.

James G. Blaine left Boston Friday morning for the west. He refused to be interviewed.

A colored man named Johnson was exposed at Marion, Ark., in presence of 1,500 persons Friday, for an outrage on a young white girl in his charge.

Some person unknown bought a draft for \$4,165 at St. Joseph, Mo., and forwarded it to the secretary of the treasury, to be paid to the credit of an unknown Justice.

A suit brought in Detroit to obtain an interpretation of the will of Francis Palms, covering an estate of at least \$7,000,000, is said to be really a contest by the daughter.

John C. Revere, a Malay residing in Providence was watching with a sick friend, on Thursday night when he was seized by Edward Turner and pounded against a door until his brain exuded.

A bill has been introduced in the New York assembly to charter an aqueduct company, with a capital of \$500,000,000, to furnish water from the Adirondack region to the Hudson river valley and New York.

In a tenement house on West 12th street, New York, James Hogan fractured the skull of his wife and a hatchet than killed himself by leaping from a third-story window. The tragedy grew out of the best condition of both from the loss of their last child.

The Dakota High Water.

BOWLING, D. T., March 26.—Some parties in from J. L. Grace report considerable damage to property by high water below that place. A man named Kirkland was cut off from reaching his home by a swollen stream.

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Street, New York.

**Protection Principles Going Hand in
Hand with Industrial Activity—Danger to
the Democracy in a Free Trade Na-
tional Platform—Strong Sentiment
Against Internal Revenue Taxation.**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 26.——Proposed
of the talk of a Republican tariff campaign
in some of the southern states next year, the
Washington correspondent of The Chicago
Journal telegraphs his paper that he was
talking to a prominent southern Democrat a
day or two ago—one who has been a leader
among Democrats all his life—who said:

"Our southern people are becoming more
and more protectionists every day, and if we
do not stop them we are going to lose a half
of our Democratic states on this very question."

"In what way?"

"Well, the people down there look upon
the internal revenue tax as a great burden
and an unjust one. They think the internal
revenue tax ought to be removed before the
tariff is touched. The manufacturing in-

terests and the iron interests there are grow-

ing so important that they feel opposed to
anything which proposes to take away
any of the protection which has

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THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY MARCH 26.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Bananas—perfectly ripe and finely flavored—only 30 cents a dozen at the Star, South Main street.

The genuine Boston Brown Bread at Denniston's.

I. C. Brownell No. 1 Main street, has just received new maple sugar direct from the woods, warranted pure.

Bananas, figs, dates, lemons and oranges, at the Star.

Cat flowers for weddings, parties or funerals can be furnished promptly. Orders can be left either at Walter Holm's grocery house or at his store.

Troy Donnaddie & Humphrey for fine rigs.

Choice Mexican oranges at the Star.

Washington Street Greenhouse.

Cat flowers for parties, funerals and weddings. Designs of all kinds made on short notice. Pot plants for sale.

H. H. Hutz.

J. H. Gatesley is now located under the First National bank. All parties favoring me with orders for coal, wood or ice will find all orders promptly filled. Telephones No. 78 and 91.

Yours with respect,

J. H. GATESLEY.

New potatoes just received at J. H. Jones, East Milwaukee street.

"Ain't it funny" how J. M. Bestwick & Sons can sell boy's shirt waist, good quality and style for 19c, yet they do it. "Ain't it funny" that some people will miss such an opportunity, yet they do it. They have just received 50 dozen.

J. M. Bestwick & Sons.

FOR RENT—On May 1st, \$7—the store occupied by F. S. Lawrence & Co., No. 10, West Milwaukee street. Enquiry of Foot & Wixson.

That Boston Cream Bread at Dennison's is splendid.

New potatoes just received at J. H. Jones, East Milwaukee street.

Wintergreen berries, strawberries and all other kinds in their season at Denniston's.

Gibson's chlorodyne lozenges, good for colds, colds, headache, nervous debility, at Golling's.

An entire new line of ruching.

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Munger & Coburn, 13 Main street, are prepared to store 300 stoves. We have a new roof, and stoves stored up stairs, (not in a shed or barn to rust.) All stoves handled with care, blackened and set up properly.

Did you try Brace & Brown's 25c Jap-tea? It is just as good as the most of them are selling at 40 and 50c.

T. J. Ziegler is selling overcoats at cost for his next 30 days.

WANTED—AN HONEST YOUNG MAN FOR A permanent position, with an old established firm as a representative in his own state. Salary to begin \$70 per month. References expected.

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What about double jackets—Yes, we have a full line and you make a mistake if you purchase without first enquiring our price.

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• GASOLINE STOVES.—If you have any idea of buying a gasoline stove, call and see the Detroit Stove Works' stove, at Munger & Coburn's, sole agents at Janesville. Over forty in use at Janesville, and not one ever returned.

WANTED—A girl to do housework in small family. Apply at Gazette office.

Best line of fruit at Golling's.

\$6,500 property for \$5,000. See E. Bowles.

Yule creams and Yale Jordan almond's at Golling's.

D. Conger has money to loan.

D. Conger has a fine list of houses and lots for sale at Golling's.

Consultation free. Room 7, Jackman's block.

Orders for Shurtliff's cream can be sent at Golling's.

We never before have shown so many choice things in dress goods. It will pay you to visit this department.

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FOR SALE—The stock and fixtures of the Wilkins' saloon, on North Main street. Apply to Wheeler & Stevens.

A full line of passementerie trimmings—several choice patterns at popular prices. BORT, BAILEY & CO.

1/4 acre near high school and projected street car line with good buildings on which \$1,000 have been recently expended, for sale now at \$2,800. This property formerly sold for \$4,000 and ought to now, in view of the improvements recently made. This opportunity will not last.

G. E. BOWLES.

All real estate papers made by Bowles.

New home on Millet Avenue; \$2,500. Bowles.

D. Conger has fine lots for sale at all prices, from \$150 to \$1,100, on easy terms.

To make good profits invest with Bowles.

Overcoats at cost for the next 30 days at T. J. Ziegler's.

AT HALF PRICE.—The celebrated fire-cooled copper wire Palman bustle, the most popular and best bustle made Only 20 cents, at Archie Reid's.

Stores and drapery and furniture of all kinds at hard times' prices at the stove and furniture store of S. F. Sanborn, 63 North Main street, in I. O. O. F. block.

Just received—another 25 dozen lot of Down's adjustable corsets, the most perfect fitting corset made. Buy a pair and get a handsome chrome, free, at Archie Reid's.

Curtain fixtures and carpet felt at Sutherland's bookstore.

An immense line of new spring styles dress prints, abirting prints, seersuckers and ginghams, just received at Archie Reid's.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Municipal Judge—H. A. PATTERSON.

POSSIBLE AND IMPOSSIBLE.

[Ode of Rapin Despise.]

I make a friend look wise, if you say
I'm a fool, and he'll say, "I drive
folks from the parlor, by a
wording, 'Peek-a-Boo,' as
start as an actor, like if Donovan
had a big milk dairy with a simple
water pump."

You can always be thought funny when you
ring a chestnut bell, if you say
make a noise, as well as
"I'm cold?" as
pass your three-cent pieces off as
dimes in buying beers,
with a smile, if you try
it thousand years.

BRIEFLETS.

—Mr. Patterson will meet with little or no opposition.

—Joe Cook went down to see Sheriff Ward for ten days again this morning.

—Miss Alice M., daughter of Rev. T. Walker, has returned home to spend her vacation.

—The funeral of Frederick Koeblin will be held to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock.

—Mrs. A. M. Doty is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Charles Wintermute, at Pewaukee.

—"Uncle Tom" with six blood hounds and two Little Eva's was in town a little while this morning.

—Charles B. Conrad has retired from the firm of Conrad & Baker and Herbert A. Baker is now sole proprietor.

—A blind man in Oakfield can tell the color of a red-hot stove by simply touching it. At least, a frivols exchange says that he can.

—After Henry Hornick and daughter, Miss Kittle, of Oskosh, are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bates, Bates' Bowls.

—All of the money in the hands of the Building Association was loaned by the directors last night at a premium of twenty percent.

—There will be a union meeting of all the Christian Endeavor societies of the city at the Baptist church to-morrow evening at 8:15 o'clock.

—William McConnell, Rock county cow boy, pulled a revolver on some of his companions last night, and Marshal Hogan took him to jail.

—Mrs. H. S. Howell, wife of Postmaster H. S. Howell, of Watertown, and daughter are in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ranous, Linn street, fifth ward.

—A meeting of the Business Men's Association will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, to consider manufacturing and other business that may come before the meeting.

—The republican ward caucuses for the nomination of ward officers and electing delegates to the city convention will probably be held on Thursday evening of next week.

—The Societies of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational, Baptist and Presbyterian churches will hold their stored fellowship meeting at 5:45 tomorrow evening at the Baptist church.

—A patent medicine advertisement is headed, "What Kills Americans." The Norristown Herald remarks "This is probably true but it is a poor recommendation for the medicine."

—Mr. Seth W. Cushman, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Wilson, departed this afternoon for La Junta, Col., where he is in the employ of the Atchison and Santa Fe Railway Company.

—Mayor Flagg, of Edgerton, is a model officer. When the town marshal is busy he puts on his overcoat takes charge of the daily shipment of tramps, and delivers them to Sheriff Ward with all the grace imaginable.

—Mr. James Mair and Miss Kathie Hutchinson, both of the second ward, were married last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Galbraith, by Rev. W. F. Brown, of the Presbyterian church. The parties will receive the well wishes of their many friends.

—The Misses Lennox have rented the commodious rooms over Mr. Eldredge's drug store, Main street, where on Monday morning, March 28, they will open a dress making establishment, and will do all in their power to please those who will favor them with patronage.

—Janesville society ladies are talking of doing away with high hats in theaters. The ladies themselves suffer as much annoyance from inability to see the stage as men do. "I wish the reform would be brought about," said one lady, "and it hate to see all worn at all let them be out down in size."

—Tickets are on sale at Prentice & Evanson's for the concert to be given by Wm. H. Sherwood at the Congregational church, Saturday evening, April 2d. Mr. Sherwood is well and favorably known both in this country and in Europe as a pianist who stands in the front rank. Do not fail to hear him. Admission 50 cents.

—Mr. A. M. Wright, of Chadron, Nebraska, is in the city for a brief visit, the son of his brother-in-law, Mr. David Wood. Mr. Wright married a Rock county girl, and for the past two years has been running a passenger train for the Chicago & Northwestern railway on the F. E. & M. V. Black Hills division.

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—The Madison Democrat: The Janesville Gazette and a man down there seem to have fallen into some trouble about the rising and the setting of the sun on the 20th of March. The Washburn observatory certifies the standard time as follows: Rising of the sun, 5h 59m; setting of the sun, 6h 10m. On the 21st, as follows: Rising of the sun, 5h 58m; setting of the sun, 6h 12m.

—Henry George, the great labor agitator of New York, is announced to lecture at the opera house, on Wednesday evening, March 30th. Mr. George is now one of the most popular men in this country, and is received everywhere by the laboring class as the champion of their cause. He will have a large audience on the occasion of his visit to Janesville. Reserved seats now on sale at Prentice & Evanson's drugstore without extra charge. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

—Just received—another 25 dozen lot of Down's adjustable corsets, the most perfect fitting corset made. Buy a pair and get a handsome chrome, free, at Archie Reid's.

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—VENTILATE YOUR HOUSES.

Can I find a word in the language that will adequately describe the condition of the air in a friend's parlor, one sunny morning last week? It was literally laden with sickening, poisonous odors.

—The windows were frozen down, there were no ventilators, and the temperature was at least 90 degrees F. A heavy fragrance of hyacinths and tuberoses came from the bay window, an invisible strata of tobacco smoke floated near the ceiling, suggestive of a vanished masculine presence.

—Though lost to sight.

but over all and around all was that suffocating dead odor denoting a total absence of oxygen which is so quickly detected by the cultivated nose of one accustomed to fresh air. A faint odor of onions and cabbage cooking in the kitchen, served as a tonic for it gave some tone to the atmosphere.

—All the money in the hands of the Building Association was loaned by the directors last night at a premium of twenty percent.

—There will be a union meeting of all the Christian Endeavor societies of the city at the Baptist church to-morrow evening at 8:15 o'clock.

—An experienced builder suggests as a cheap method of ventilation where a complete system of flues cannot be afforded, the construction of an air flue in the central chimney in the house, extending the whole length parallel with the smoke flue, with registers opening into the air flue near the ceiling from each room contiguous to the chimney.

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